



AF  
JFW

## REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

Attorney Docket No.	1293.1912
Application Number	10/627,973
Filing Date	July 28, 2003
First Named Inventor	Byoung-ho CHOI et al.
Group Art Unit	2627

AMOUNT ENCLOSED	\$0.00	Examiner Name	Parul H. Gupta
-----------------	--------	---------------	----------------

### FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	32	- 32 =	0	X \$50.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	8	- 8 =	0	X \$200.00 =	\$ 0.00

Since an Official Action set an original due date of January 30, 2007, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160)):

If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$500.00)

If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00)

Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)

Total of above Calculations =

Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)

TOTAL FEES DUE =

(1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".

(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".

(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".

(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

### METHOD OF PAYMENT

☐ Check enclosed as payment. ☐ Credit Card Payment Form, Form PTO-2038(attached).

☐ Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.

☒ No payment is enclosed and no charges to the Deposit Account are authorized at this time (unless specifically required to obtain a filing date).

### GENERAL AUTHORIZATION

☒ If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:

Deposit Account No.

503333

Deposit Account Name

STEIN, MCEWEN &  
BUI, LLP

☒ The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STEIN, MCEWEN & BUI, LLP

Typed Name Howard I. Levy

Reg. No. 55,378

Signature

Date

1/29/07



RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2627  
Docket No.: 1293.1912

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Byoung-ho CHOI et al.

Serial No. 10/627,973

Group Art Unit: 2627

Confirmation No. 4090

Filed: July 28, 2003

Examiner: Parul H. Gupta

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING OBJECTIVE LENS TO PREVENT  
DISC FROM BEING SCRATCHED BY THE OBJECTIVE LENS

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Mail Stop: AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed October 30, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on January 30, 2007.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.